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The Lebanon Games.

There were two games of baseball played at Lebanon last Monday and Tuesday. The first, Columbia against Lebanon, the second Bardstown against Columbia. There were many enthusiastic supporters of the clubs present, and "rooting" and "guying" were in evidence. In the first game the Columbia boys lost to Lebanon, the score standing 13 to 1. This signal defeat is due to several causes, one in particular, our boys were all jaded, having just spent a week at our fair and had played Greensburg two games Saturday before going to Lebanon. However, they accepted the defeat cheerfully, and return thanks for the many courtesies shown them.

Tuesday Columbia went to the diamond, feeling in fine spirits and with a determination to defeat the "crack" amateur team of Kentucky. Bardstown was wearing confidence on its countenance, and to outsiders it was evident that a battle royal was to be pulled off before the largest crowd that ever witnessed a game at Hood's Park. Bardstown went to the bat first and the playing was exciting until the close of the ninth inning, the score standing 2 to 1 in favor of Columbia. The following is the tabulated score of the two games:

| Columbia | AB | H | R | P | O | A | E |
|------------------|----|---|---|----|----|----|------|
| Frazier 3b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | |
| Stults 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 2 | |
| R. Judd p and lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | |
| Holladay 2b | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 2 | |
| Winfrey rf | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | |
| Young lf and p | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | |
| T. Judd ss | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | |
| Rosenfield c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 1 | |
| Moore cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | |
| Innings | 33 | 6 | 1 | 24 | 11 | 13 | |
| Lebanon | AB | H | R | P | O | A | E |
| Hogerty ss | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | |
| Boldrick lf | 4 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | |
| Johnston 2b | 5 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 | 0 | |
| Craycraft c | 5 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 2 | |
| Spalding 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 1 | |
| Kubel cf | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | |
| Russell 3b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | |
| Kelly rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Lutes p | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | |
| Innings | 12 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 |
| Columbia | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-13 |
| Lebanon | 9 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | x-13 |

Base on balls off Judd 2. Strike out by Judd 2, by Young 6, by Lutes 10. Sacrifice hits Winfrey 2, R. Judd, Baldrick and Spalding. Stolen base Winfrey, Moore 2, Hogerty. Left on base Columbia 10, Lebanon 5. Passed ball Craycraft. Missed 3d strike Craycraft 3. Umpire Murphy of Louisville.

| Columbia | AB | H | R | P | O | A | E |
|--------------|----|---|---|----|---|---|------|
| Frazier 3b | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | |
| T. Judd ss | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 0 | | |
| R. Judd cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | |
| Holladay 2b | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Young lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | | |
| Moore 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 0 | | |
| Stults p | 4 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 5 | | |
| Wilson rf | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Rosenfield c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | | |
| Innings | 37 | 5 | 1 | 24 | 5 | 2 | |
| Bardstown | AB | H | R | P | O | A | E |
| S. Fulton 3b | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | |
| W. Fulton cf | 5 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | | |
| Talbot 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | |
| Shultz p | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Cox lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Brown rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| E. Fulton c | 4 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 1 | 0 | |
| Spalding 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | |
| Kelley ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | |
| Innings | 12 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 9 |
| Columbia | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0-13 |
| Bardstown | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0-13 |

Base on balls off Stults 1, off Shultz 1. Hit by pitcher by Stults 1, by Shultz 1. Two-base hit, Holladay, Wilson, E. Fulton. Left on bases Columbia 9, Bardstown 6. Struck out by Stults 9, by Shultz 12, missed 3d strike, E. Fulton. Stolen bases, T. Judd, Young 2, Moore and W. Fulton. Double plays Stults to Moore (twice) Umpire Murphy, of Louisville. Attendance 600.

NOTES.
The Columbia team desires to express its heartfelt thanks to Lebanon for the hospitality in which it was treated during its stay in that city. The people of Lebanon and especially the baseball team know how to make visitors feel at home. The kindness manifested by the entire community will long be remembered by the manager and the boys composing the Columbia aggregation.

Mr. Murphy, of Louisville, who umpired both games is a gentleman who thoroughly understands every feature of the game. He is a man of character, one who is too honest to make a partial decision.

The Bardstown team, like Lebanon, is composed of elegant young men, and while the two clubs had never before met, they parted friends, and expect to meet again at Lebanon, Sept. 8, shake hands and bat for the decision.

In the first inning Stults & Talbot with the bases full.

Young was kept busy gathering in flies to the outfield, the big fellow covers a world of ground.

T. Judd, Wilson and Stults led with the stick, getting two hits each.

Stults had five assists and three put-outs to his credit. That's going some.

In the first T. Judd hit to right-field, stole second, and scored on Holladay's two-base hit to left.

W. Fulton was kept busy in center, having six put-outs to his credit.

Stults fanned four men in the first four innings.

Rosenfield caught a nice game, having 10 put-outs and three assists to his credit. He gets all that he tries to steal.

Moore played a nice game at first. He covers a lot of ground, and is always in the game.

Columbia got three hits in the second but could not score, Bum base running.

Frazier played a nice game at third base for the boys, his regular position is in the out field, but he is always willing to play where the manager says play.

R. Judd made a nice catch of W. Fulton's line drive in the ninth. If he had failed to catch the ball two scores would have counted.

It is Time to Act.

For more than two years the proposition of building a macadam road to the Green County line has been under consideration. The Fiscal Court of this county stands pledged to take and pay for one third of the stock up to \$15,000. The necessities of the road are apparent. Its worth to Columbia and Adair county can not be questioned and those acquainted with such investments and the traffic could not fail to believe it a safe, profitable investment.

In the light of all these facts it is strange that the people, every one of us, are so slow to act. The Green county part of the road will be completed this fall and only seven or eight miles will be left for this county. If this proposition fails the business interests of Columbia and the welfare of the county will continue in the same old way if not drop back a little. To argue the worth of this road seems silly, to fail to build it is folly and a blunder. Gentlemen of Columbia, wake up to the importance of this proposition and let us pull together until it is completed. We suggest a meeting at an early day and if held, every business man and all others interested in the welfare and progress of this town and county should be present. The Lindsey-Wilson School has proved its worth. No one would lower its flag. The Public Graded School met opposition but it will prove an advanced step and soon the chilly waters of opposition will pass down the stream of time and it will stand an admitted blessing. The road will not be second to either of the schools in point of value to the community and it ought to be pressed to a finish. We can not hope to grow and expand business without effort and enterprise. The News is ready and willing to do its part.

Valuable Farm For Sale.

By agreement of the heirs, I will on the 9th day of September, sell to the highest bidder the farm of Wm Hendrickson, deceased, containing 180 acres and lying on the waters of Casey Creek, 11-2 miles from Clementsville and 3 1-2 from Roley. The land and improvements will be sold, then the saw timber separately. Then offered as a whole and the way it brings the most money will be accepted. Sixty acres are under cultivation while the remainder is in timber. A good 6 room dwelling and all necessary out buildings, plenty of good water and an ideal home. Terms of sale: If timber is sold separately cash will be required for it, the land, or the land and timber if sold together, will be 1-3 cash, the remainder in 6 and 12 months.

J. I. Hendrickson,
Casey Creek, Ky.

Several weeks ago we inserted a notice stating that we would charge four cents per line for obituaries, yet they continue to come in. If a person wants to write an obituary and pay for its insertion, the writer should say so. If no agreement is made this character of contributions will be rejected.

The Lindsey-Wilson will open next Thursday. Prospects good for a full school, but it will be several weeks before the pupils are all in. The sooner pupils enter the better it will be for them. Start with the beginning and get the benefit of the whole term.

A great deal of tobacco has been cut in this county, and growers will be busy with their knives this week. The crop is reported large and good throughout the county. Mr. Allen Walker, of this place, will cut about twelve acres of Burly, said to be as fine as ever grew in this section.

A SAD, LAMENTABLE DEATH.

Edgar G. Atkins, who was a Popular Citizen of Columbia, Dies Very Suddenly.

DISSOLUTION CAME AT SULPHUR WELL.

Last Friday morning August 27, 1909, about 9 o'clock, the business men on the square were terribly shocked when a telephone message came announcing that Mr. E. G. Atkins, of this place, had suddenly died at Sulphur Well, Metcalfe county. The sad news soon spread over Columbia and in a few minutes there was sorrow in every home. The deceased wife and daughter were notified, and no writer can portray their grief; and as they wrung their hands in anguish and gave expressions of their deep sorrow, friends who had gathered in did the best they could to console them. The aged mother was visiting out of town, but she was soon notified and conveyed home. She is a lady of nerve and fortitude, and has been a great comfort when death invaded neighboring homes, but the time had come when she had to break down—her son, her only beloved offspring, was dead. Expressions of sorrow were heard from all sources, white and black, every body knowing that a cheerful heart, one full of sunshine, had ceased to beat.

Edgar G. Atkins was a son of James W. and Bettie Spencer Atkins, and was born in Greensburg, Ky., July 18, 1862, making him forty-seven years, one month and nine days old. He came with his parents to this place when he was a small boy, his home having been here almost constantly since that time. For the past fifteen or eighteen years he had been a salesman out of Louisville, and at the time of his demise he was traveling for J. Zinsmeister & Bro., wholesale grocers. His territory embraced a number of counties and he was exceedingly popular in them, the family having received many letters of condolence.

The manner of Mr. Atkins' passing was almost identically like that of the late C. H. Murrell, whose widow is an aunt of the subject of this writing. He ate his breakfast, and was making out some orders when acute indigestion set up, followed by neuralgia of the heart, dying alone in a few minutes, the sad news reaching Columbia the same hour as did the announcement of the death of Mr. Murrell.

Mr. Atkins was made a Master Mason when he was about thirty years old; some years later a Royal Arch and Council Mason and later he became a Knights Templar and was a member of Marion Commandry, No. 24. He also held a position at the time of his death in the Grand Council of Kentucky. He was tigh in the work, at all times filling important positions in the Blue Lodge and the Chapter. He was a past High Priest of Columbia Chapter No. 7.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Saturday afternoon at 5 o'clock, conducted by Rev. A. R. Kasey, pastor of the deceased, who told pathetically of Ed's many noble traits of character, how much the Church, the Fraternity and the community loved him and how sadly he will be missed. The church was crowded with friends every face showing expressions of sorrow.

After the religious exercises the remains were conveyed to the city cemetery, followed by the family and the Masonic Fraternity including a delegation of Knights Templar from Marion Commandry, No. 24, who had come forty miles to show their love for the deceased Knight. At the grave the Knights officiated, the ceremony being beautiful and impressive. The floral offerings were many, and when the Masons and family withdrew from the grave it was covered with sweet scented roses and blossoms.

It is almost needless to say this entire town is sharing in the great sorrow that has befallen the devoted wife and affectionate daughter and the aged mother who fondly loved her only child and son. There is one, however, who can bring comfort to the distressed and almost broken hearted, and our admonition is, look to Him.

BY COLUMBIA LODGE NO. 96.
Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from the daily walks of life our esteemed brother, E. G. Atkins, who was a zealous Mason, a member of Columbia Lodge, No. 96, therefore be it,

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Atkins this lodge has lost one of its brightest and most useful members, one who will be greatly missed and whose departure we deeply deplore.

2d. That we extend our heartfelt

sympathy to the aged mother of the deceased who loved the son with that devotion that characterizes a true mother, who was deeply interested in her son's welfare; to the devoted wife and loving daughter who are almost heart-broken on account of this sad dispensation of Providence. We commend them to the Giver of all that is good who has promised to care for the widow and the orphan. His place in the home can not be filled; his cheerful voice will not again be heard here, but after awhile if they walk in the fear and admonition of the Lord, the family will again be re-united.

3d. That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the record of this lodge, that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased and also a copy furnished the Adair County News, and that the members wear the usual badge of mourning for thirty days.

C. S. Harris,
Jas. Garnett,
Paul Smith.

BY THE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Resolutions on the death of E. G. Atkins adopted by the Methodist Sunday School, Sunday August 29 1909:

Whereas, It is appointed unto men once to die and under that injunction we have lost one of our class.

Be it Resolved, That, in the death of Edgar G. Atkins we have lost one of our most prompt and enthusiastic members.

He was whole souled and loved his Sunday School. He was a sweet spirited man, bore no malice against any man. He was everybody's friend, and he was loved by everybody. He was a man of generous purposes, his friends were numerous and we most deeply deplore his death. We most sincerely mourn his loss and tender our hearty sympathies to the bereaved mother, wife, and daughter.

Resolved That, these resolutions be published in The Adair County News and that a copy of them be sent to the family of the deceased.

J. R. Hindman,
G. T. Flowers, Jr.,
E. G. Hulise,
E. L. Feese,
Frank Sinclair,
J. Z. Pickett,
E. L. Moss,
J. T. Goodman,
R. L. Talley,
C. R. Dean,
G. W. Staples,
W. T. McFarland,
G. B. Smith,
L. L. Rounds,
A. R. Kasey,
Ethan Crawhorn,
M. L. Grissom,
Virgil Grissom.

There is a stray female hog on my farm. Will weigh about 200 pounds, is red and black. W. T. McFarland.
43-2t

Election Commissioners.

Commissioners met last week and appointed County Commissioners. The following are the Commissioners in counties hereabout:

Adair, Geo. F. Stults, Republican; N. M. Tutt, Democrat.
Casey, Henry Thomas, Republican; E. C. Moore, Democrat.
Clinton, A. H. Vincent, Republican; S. V. Brents, Democrat.
Cumberland, Jo Huddleston Republican; W. H. Cheek Democrat.
Green, U. G. Hamilton, Republican; J. Mc V. Shreve, Democrat.
Metcalfe, J. M. Jeffries, Republican; L. Boston, Democrat.
Russell, J. T. Dunbar, Republican; M. L. Shepherd, Democrat.
Taylor, G. H. Gowdy, Republican; G. A. Moody, Democrat.

Fair Grounds to be Sold.

On Monday, the 20th day of September, about the hour of 1 o'clock, the Fair Grounds will be sold, at public outcry, at the Court-house door. There are about 20 acres of land, well located.

When you want to drive, phone 99. Prices right. 43-4t

Feed with Goff Bros. & Richardson, the best stable in town. 43-4t

Positive arrangements have been made for another meeting of Bardstown against Columbia. The game will be called at Lebanon Chataqua grounds Wednesday, September 8. It is hoped that a large crowd will go up from this place. Bardstown will send a large delegation of "rooters," and our boys should have a strong backing.

The last quarterly meeting for this Conference year will be held at Tabor next Saturday and Sunday. There will be dinner on the ground Sunday. This will be an important meeting and it is hoped that the Stewards will be ready to make a satisfactory report.

An Invitation.

Lebanon, Ky., Aug. 28, 1909.
Hon. James Garnett, Mayor,
Columbia, Ky.

My Dear Sir:—

On September 8th, the Knights of Columbus will have an outing at the grounds of The Prctor Knott Chautauqua Association. Speeches will be made by Hon. Ben Johnson, Hon. E. J. McDumott and others.

There will be a great game of baseball between Columbia and Bardstown. I invite the citizens of Columbia, Adair county and the eleventh district to come to Lebanon and spend a pleasant day. With personal regard, I am,
Very Truly Yours,
O. D. Thomas, Mayor.

We copy the following from the Bardstown Standard on the recent game played at Lebanon, Columbia against Bardstown: "The main cause however, of Bardstown's come down was no less a personage than Mr. Stults, a former Blue Grass resident, now living in Lexington in the Blue Grass League and we understand got canned. He lives in Columbia, and so naturally he twirls for his home team when the occasion demands it. He did a little twirling last Tuesday that was good enough anytime for the Blue Grass League and we cannot help but think that Lexington made a mistake. Although Bardstown got ten hits they all came when they did no damage for when there was a chance to get a couple of runs by a hit Mr. Stults refused absolutely to be hit. We sincerely hope he goes back to the Blue Grass or some place before we play Columbia again. We don't like him a little bit."

Farm For Sale.

I desire to sell my farm containing 175 acres, lying in Russell county, one mile South West of Montpelier, in a good neighborhood. Good dwelling, eight rooms, all new, and all necessary outbuildings. The farm is well watered and is in a fine state of cultivation. Will give some man a bargain. A great deal of valuable timber on the farm.
G. M. Stevenson,
40-1m
Montpelier, Ky.,

Big Auction.

On Saturday, September 4th, 1909, at my store, Knifley, Ky., I will sell at public auction a big line of Dry-goods, Clothing, Notions, Hats, Shoes, etc. In fact everything kept in a general store. I want to make room for Fall Goods, and need the money.

L. R. Chelf.

Rev. A. R. Kasey will entertain the male members of his church and the husbands of lady members of his church, it matters not to what church they belong, or whether they are members of any congregation, at the Lindsey-Wilson dining-room next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Board of Trustees propose to the persons who have lots in the cemetery that if they will clean their lots they will mow and rake the rest of the cemetery. It is in a fearful condition, and has been mowed over twice, and now that the rains have ceased to be so frequent, a good cleaning up will amount to something.

Mr. H. A. Walker and wife have taken charge of the Columbia Hotel and they are now entertaining guests. Mr. Walker is a hustling business man and it is predicted that he will be successful as a host. Judge Junius Hancock, who is a good hotel man, and who run the above named house for a year, has removed to his own property on Burkesville street.

Rollin Browning has opened a livery and feed stable in Columbia, back of Hancock's Hotel. He invites his friends and former customers to give him a call.

Desirable Property For Sale.

I desire to sell my residence and farm attached. The dwelling is located on the Campbellsville pike just beyond the bridge and in the corporate limits of Columbia. It is comparatively new and contains 10 good rooms and there are all necessary outbuildings. There are forty acres of ground in fine state of cultivation. It is one of the best homes in Columbia. S. D. Barbee,
39-1m
Columbia, Ky.

Mr. Fayette Davis has removed from Portland to this place and is occupying the property just vacated by Mr. J. A. D. Coy.

Caldwell & Buchanan, who advertise seed wheat in to-day's News will be here next Monday with samples of the grain.

Crop Report.

Commissioner Rankin has sent out his crop report for August: Crops of all kinds have had too much rain.

Corn promises big yield, but much of it will be chaffy for want of cultivation. Wheat will average ten bushels per acre of poor quality. Much of it is sprouted.

Oats fell down on account of rain, and much of the crop was not cut. Average yield twenty bushel per acre.

Tobacco, big crop planted, but yield will be much below the average both in quality and quantity.

Hemp is doing well and good prices are offered.

Rig crop of potatoes, yield fair and prices high. Fruit crop small and much damaged by worms, etc.

With the exception of hog cholera in some sections and sheep scab in others, stock is doing well and is bringing high prices.

Poultry higher than for years, and interest in this business is increasing.

The Graded School at this place will open the third Monday in September which will be the 20 of the month. Prof. W. M. Wilson, of Williamsburg, who was here last week, has accepted the principalship, and will have an able corps of assistants. Prof. Wilson will return to Columbia in a week or ten days before the school opens. He comes to Columbia highly recommended as a teacher of experience.

Mr. J. W. Walker sold his residence on Bomar Heights last Monday, to Mr. Perry Sommers, of Cumberland county, for \$2,200. Mr. Sommers will remove his family to Columbia. The graded School was the incentive for the trade. The family will be given a cordial welcome.

FOR SALE:—About 200 bushels each a-1 dry, re-cleaned, "New Columbia" seed wheat and Winter Turf oats. Samples at News office.
Caldwell & Buchanan, Burdick Ky.
43-2t

All who want Watkins remedies call on J. B. Rasner or see me on the square, the first Monday in September.
42-2t
J. B. Grant.

LOST:—At the Fair Grounds on the 4rd day, a genuine gold brooch with N. M. D. engraved in script letters. Finder return to this office and receive \$1.00 reward. The pin is round and about the size of a penny.
42-2t

Mr. D. K. Briggs, who was the father of Mrs. L. L. Rounds, of this city, died at his late home, in the State of Michigan, last week. He was quite an aged man, highly respected.

Teachers Wanted.

The demand for teachers who have been trained in the Western Normal is greater than the supply. The Fall Session opens September 7th. Write President H. H. Cherry, Bowling Green, Ky., for information relative to free tuition. 43-2t

The automobile party who left here last Tuesday morning for Lebanon, a distance of forty miles, to witness the game of ball, Columbia against Bardstown, made the trip in two hours and twenty minutes and stopped at Campbellsville for breakfast. On their return the trip was made in two hours and forty minutes, the drive from Campbellsville to Columbia being after dark. The machine belongs to Mr. H. O. Bassett, and it is one of the best that travels the road. Hon. Geo. Nell, who was one of the party, says that they passed toll gates so quickly that they looked like teeth in a comb.

Thomas W. Miller, son of Pension Examiner E. B. Miller, went to Chicago Thursday to visit his older brother, N. B. Miller, Jr., who is attending the summer term of the Chicago university. The Chicago student was graduated from Westminster college last year. He writes that he will be back home in a few weeks just prior to going to McAllister, Okla., where he has procured a position as teacher in the McAllister school at \$1000 per year.—Springfield (Mo.) Paper.

Mr. Leslie Chapman, who has been clerking in the grocery store of Mr. J. F. Triplett for the past six months, by mutual agreement, changed his business Monday morning and accepted a position in the dry goods establishment of Russell & Co. Mr. Chapman is a young man of correct habits and is attentive to business, essentials which are necessary for young men who are seeking responsible position. He gave perfect satisfaction at the store of Mr. Triplett.

The Transylvania Presbytery will meet in Columbia some time this Fall. The date will be announced later.